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Applicant: Carla BEVILACQUA et al. Conf.: 8180  
Appl. No.: 10/009,689 Group: 1614  
Filed: March 26, 2002 Examiner: COOK, R.  
For: PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING  
8-CHLORO-3 (β-DIETHYLAMINOETHYL) -4-  
METHYL-7-ETHOXYCARBONYL-METHOXY  
COUMARIN BASE AND THE SALTS THEREOF,  
WITH CHOLESTEROL-LOWERING ACTIVITY

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

November 21, 2002

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 21, 2002, the following amendments and remarks are submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

AMENDMENTS

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-6 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter set forth therein.

Please add the following new claims:

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--7. (New) A method of treating a patient suffering from hypercholesterolaemia comprising administering to said patient a